Mrs. Henry A. Reamer, Main and Garst Sts., South Bend, Ind., says:

When I began using Doan's Kidney Pills I was so I could hardly drag myself across the room. I was wretched and neryous, and had beartinckache. ing-down pain, dizziheadache. ness and

eyes. Dropsy set in and bloating of the chest choked me and threatened the heart. I had little hope, but to my untold surprise Doan's Kidney Pills brought me relief and saved my life. I shall never

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Brief and to the Point. Rev. Snyx preached Sunday night on charity. The sermon was punk .-Pocahontas, Va., Times.

JUST MAKING A FRESH START.

The late Bishop Eastburn of Massachusetts was a man of very imposing appearance, and when robed in his bigsleeved canonicals gave the impression of sailing under full canvas. In the pulpit he had a habit of drawing himself up at intervals, with chest raised and head thrown back, which gave him a very pompous air.

A little boy of Newburyport, not fully inured to long sermons, and wearying under his heavy periods, mildly suggested to his mother that he would like to "cut the rest of it," but she tried to beguile him with the assurance that the good man was just ready to stop, when he eagerly re-"Oh, no, mamma, he isn't, 'cause he's just blowed hisself up again."

Excellent Neighbors. Col. Quackenboss built his new house at the edge of a cemetery. "Wherefore?" questioned friends. protesting against the choice of situ-

"Just a fancy of my own," reation. pited the colonel. "The dead are ex-cellent neighbors."

Tumors Conquered Without Operations Unqualified Success of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in Cases of Mrs. Fox and Miss Adams.



come from its early stages, or the pres-ence of danger may be made manifest by excessive monthly periods accom-panied by unusual pain extending from

stopped. Shortly after I felt so badly I submitted to a thorough examination by a physician, and was told that I had a tumor vegetable Compound, and should give sician, and was told that I had a tu and would have to undergo an operation. "I soon after read one of your advertisements and decided to give Lydia Z. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a trial. After taking five bottles as directed, the tumor is entirely gone. I have again been examined

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Another Case of Tumor Cured by Lydia E Pinkham's Vegeta-ble Compound.

panied by unusual pain extending from the abdomen through the groin and thighs.

If you have mysterious pains, if there are indications of inflammation, ulceration or displacement, don't wait for the doctor prescribed for me, but finding that I did not get any better be examined in a confirm your fears and go

tion or displacement, don't wait for time to confirm your fears and go through the horrors of a hospital operation; secure Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound at once and begin its use and write Mrs. Pinkham of Lynn, Mass., for advice.

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Dear Mrs. Pinkham:— (First Letter.)

"In looking over your book I see that your medicine cures Tumors. I have been to a doctor and he tells me I have a tumor. I will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be more than grateful if you can help will be wi will be more than grateful if you can help me, as I do so dread an operation."—Fannie D. Fox, Bradford, Pa.

Dear Mrs. Finkham:— (Second Letter.)

"I take the liberty to congratulate you on the success I have had with your wonderful medicine.

"Eighteen months ago my periods stopped. Shortly after I felt so badly I submitted to a thorough examination by a phymitted to a thorough examination by a phymitted to a thorough examination by a phymitted to a thorough examination by a phymited to a thorough examination by a phymi

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Mrs. Pinkham invites all ailing women to write to her at Lynn, Mass.,

We collected two cows for Thomas

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was in settlement of an old bill

thirteen years of age. It had been

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Two Cows Collected

## COWARDICE OF CAPTAIN Boy Well Knew Bishop Wasn't Near PREVENTED SAVING LIFE End of Sermon.

It is Claimed That Many of the Unfor tunates on the Valencia Might Have Been Rescued by the Queen.

San Francisco, Cal.-The steamer Queen, Captain James Cousins, has arrived from Puget sound ports and the scene of the wreck of the Valencia. Directly conflicting stories are told by those on board regarding the failure of the Queen to rescue any of the people who were seen clinging to the rigging or huddled on the afterdeck of the rapidly sinking vessel.

Chief Boatswain's Mate C. P. Jorgensen of the cruiser Philadelphia, who with twenty sailors belonging to that vessel came down on the Queen, severely scores the officers of that vessel. He says:

"I was standing on the forward deck and could plainly see the men and women on the Valencia. I volunteered to man a lifeboat with my men and attempt to rescue some of the imperiled ones. It was a life and death chance, but we all were willing to take it. The captain would not consent, and so we had to stand by and watch the signals of distress. After two hours, during which no attempt was made to launch a boat, the Queen

put back to Victoria." Chief Boatswain's Mate D. S. Sullivan corroborated Jorgenson's state-ment that the Philadelphia's men were willing to undertake to save all the lives possible, but they were prevented from doing so by Captain Cousins. Sullivan also charges that the officers of the Czar and Salvor were too timid to take the risks necessary to rescue those on the Valencia. Captain Cousins denies the state-

ments of the bluejackets, saying:
"It's a lie that these fellows were ready to go out in a small boat. Not one of them said a word. If they had, I would not have allowed them to go to certain death in the heavy sea that was then running.

Starch Factory for Box Elder. Salt Lake City.-As a result of the investigations of the Manufacturers and Merchants' association, and its committee on industries, it is altogether likely that a factory for the purpose of manufacturing starch from the potatoes of the state will be erected in a short time in Box Elder On the occasion of the excounty. cursion that was given by the association to Kaysville, Brigham City, Ogden and Logan, the members of committee that had broached the starch factory proposition to the as-sociation boarded the train at Brigham City, and showed the association members the proposed site of the fac-tory. It is understood that work will be begun early in the spring on the

HORRORS ON LIFE RAFT. One Man Went Mad When the Queen Sailed Away.

Victoria, B. C.-Chief Cook Hancock, a survivor of the Valencia's life raft found in Barclay sound, in telling of the experiences of those who were with him on the raft, said so poignant was the disappointment of the shipwrecked men when the steamer Queen failed to see their signals and sheered away that one went mad and a few minutes later died. The others, to lighten the raft, pushed his body overboard. Then another passenger, with a cry, slipped off the raft, leaving eight. Four of the men only lived to reach the shore.

Clarence Long, a smelterman, aged 35 years, committed suicide at Great Falls, Mont., in a room in a lodging house occupied by Miss Mary Mickle-fist, with whom he was in love and of whom he was jealous.

Services Brief and Simple.

New York.-An imposing military pageant passing across Brooklyn bridge, brief services at St. Thomas' Episcopal church on Fifth avenue and an escort across the North river ferry to Jersey City, where the body was placed on a train to be taken to Washington for interment in the National cemetery at Arlington, marked the funeral Sunday afternoon of Brigadier General Joseph Wheeler, one of the most prominent generals of the Spanish-American war.

ASSERTS HIS INNOCENCE.

Sentence of Death Passed Upon Murderer of Mabel Page.

Cambridge, Mass.-Charles L. Tucker, convicted of the murder of Mabel Pake of Weston on March 31, 1904, has been sentenced to death by electricity during the week of June 10. When asked if he had anything to say, Tucker addressed the court as follows: "Your honor, all I have to say is

that I am absolutely innocent of this

Bandits Again on the Warpath.

Algeciras, Spain.-Advices received here from Tangier by the delegates to the conference are to the effect that serious disorders have been renewed between Raisuli, the bandit chief, and the Anjera tribesmen. One of the Anjera chiefs were killed and others of them, with large followings, are uniting for the purpose of aggressive struggle with Raisuli. Some of Moroccan specialists attending the conference hastily returned to the Tangier.

Jack the Stabber.

St. Louis, Mo .- While walking along Kossuth avenue after nightfall, Bertha Riley, aged 11 years, was apprehended by a young man who stabbed her in the back and fled. The girl ran home and was given medical attention, the physician stating that the wound was not serious. This nakes the sixteenth girl who has been stabbed in the streets after night within the past two weeks, presums nated as "Jack the Stabber."

'Bluff' of Bridegroom That Met With Deserved Fallure. good story is told on a young

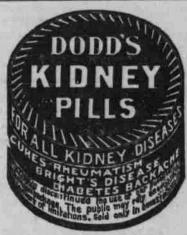
clergyman in the suburbs who was recently married and who was properly punished for trying to make a "front" It is a well known rule among ciergymen not to take a fee from dominie for marrying him. The gencral custom is, however, for the best man to go through the usual form and present the officiating clergyman with ar envelope containing the fee. The minister then pays a graceful complime to the bride and presents the envelope to her. Aware of this custom, the young minister thought he would make a big showing before his bride and placed \$100 in the envelope, smiling in anticipation of her surprise when she should open it and see what her lover was willing to pay for being united to her.

The young man's consternation can be imagined when the other clergyman calmly pocketed the envelope and made no movement to return it. The officiating minister had heard glowing reports of the rich bride his young friend was getting and decided that the fee would do him more good than the newly married couple, and therefore for once departed from the usual rule. The bridegroom is still sore about the \$100, but the joke was too good for the best man to keep to himself.-Philadelphia Record.

Teal Slip Out of Hunters' Reach. Teal leave the water with astonish ing smartness, and if the shooting is in brush the gunner is likely to be reminded of the thunderous grouse, by the way those brown bantams, the blue-wings, slip out of reach of his sudden storm of lead. And how they can go when they discover what their danger is! I have stood in the cattails by a pond at evening when the teal were coming in to roost and have seen them burst into a speed, upon detecting me, that required a 20-foot swinging lead to stop at 40 yards. They are handsome birds, too, these teal, and gross is the man that can chuck them in his shooting coat without a glance of admiration at the trim lines of them.-Lynn Bogue Hunt, in 'Shooting Ducks on Middle Western Ponds," in The Outing Magazine.

For the Indoor Garden.

There are four essentials for a successful indoor garden-even temperature, cleanliness, unremitting attention to ward off insects, and careful watering, neither drowning, which produces sourness of the soil and yellowness on leaves, nor droughts, which cause a general williness, not to mention premature decease.-Exchange.



Importance of Proper Diet. The basis of all foods consists of at

least four essential elements; but it does not follow that all these elements will be present in equal proportions in various life sustaining substances. Thus, weight for weight, ford household assistance. In the bread contains more carbon than meat, and meat more nitrogen than bread. These theoretical considera tions are borne out by observed facts. Modern researches have shown that there is an intimate relation subsisting between the quality and quantity of food taken and the kind of work or "energy" into which it is eventually transformed. Hence a man's diet ought to depend in great part on his work.

Louisville, Ky.

Virtue Coming In.

There is not much scandal going the rounds. Recklessness has been found not to pay and, happily, women -ever the greater sufferers-think the game is not worth the candie. The word respectable is not yet in favor, but it has ceased to be synonymous with dulness.

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Purchasing Live Stock.

The principal live stock centers are

Louis, St. Joseph, St. Paul and Fort Worth. The same methods of purchasing cattle, sheep and hogs prevail at all cities. At Chicago, which is the largest market, there are about two hundred and fifty buyers, representing packers, local slaughterers in various cities and exporters. Of this St. Paul ..... 5 number, less than a score are employed by Swift & Company.

The farmer ships his live stock to Chicago, consigns them to a commission firm at the Union Stock Yards, who sees that they are unloaded and put in pens. Then the buyers in pect them, make their offers to the commission dealer, who accepts or rejects as his judgment dictates. All buying of new buildings and the installation must be finished at 3 o'clock each day. and the buyer must pay spot cash. If the commission man has no satis factory offers, he can hold his stock over to the next day. He gets his commission from the farmer, and naturally strives to get the highest possible price for his client.

Wholesale Distributing Houses. A wholesale distributing house is a giant refrigerator, but instead of shelves there are trolley rails, from which are suspended hooks to hang the carcasses. Some of the houses cost as much as a hundred thousand dollars to build and equip. As a rule they are of pressed brick, the insides being lined-floor, walls and ceilingwith highly polished hardwood. The floors are covered daily with fresh sawdust, and all are kept spotlessly clean. There are over three hundred of these wholesale houses in various cities of the United States, and the public is always welcome to visit

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Packing Plants.

Buildings, Acres. Chicago .....441/4 87% Kansas City , 7% Omaha ..... 6 1924 St. Louis .... 7% St. Joseph .... 61/2 12 Fort Worth ... 3

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